

Attachment 3

PROPOSED STATEMENT FOR HOUSE
FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Through my activities on the Committee of Principals, first as Chairman of the AEC and now as Director of Central Intelligence, I have maintained a keen interest in disarmament matters and in the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency. The intelligence community, including CIA, cooperates extensively with the ACDA in carrying out their disarmament research. Contributions have been made by various Agencies, for example, in the area of nuclear test detection in support of the Department of Defense VELA programs.

The CIA has no current research programs specifically directed at disarmament, although much of its normal research, both in Foreign military and economic programs and in intelligence collection techniques and equipment, is applicable. The Agency supplies the results of such research to ACDA, and ACDA is a recipient of many of our finished intelligence reports and estimates. In the past we have conducted specific requested studies for ACDA and no doubt will do more in the future. On occasion we have also participated in ACDA-sponsored Panels studying nuclear arms control proposals.